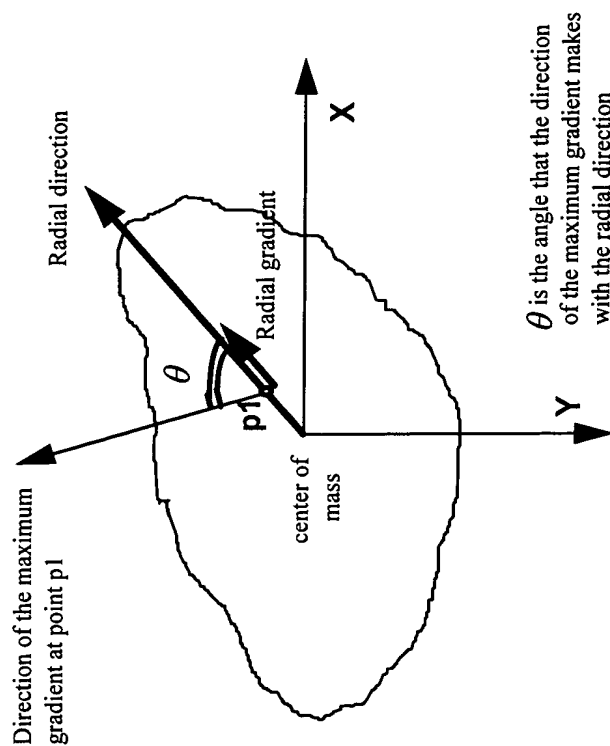
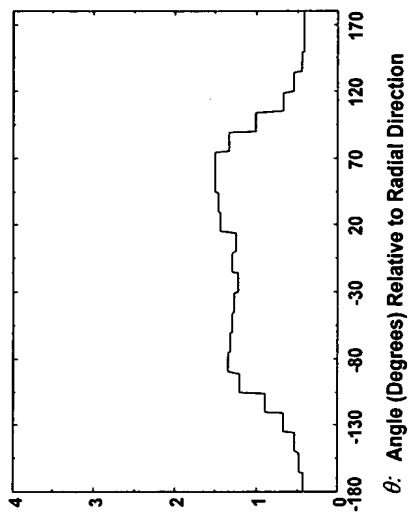


FIG. 1

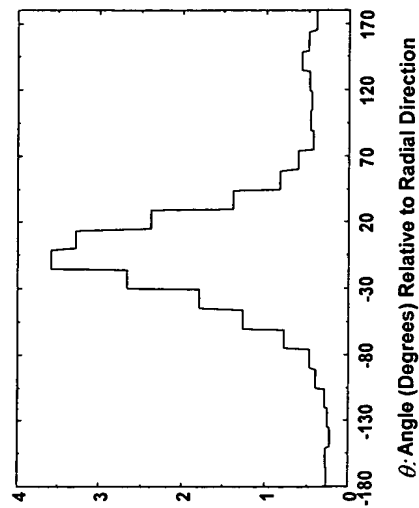


θ is the angle that the direction of the maximum gradient makes with the radial direction

(a)



(b)



(c)

Figure 2

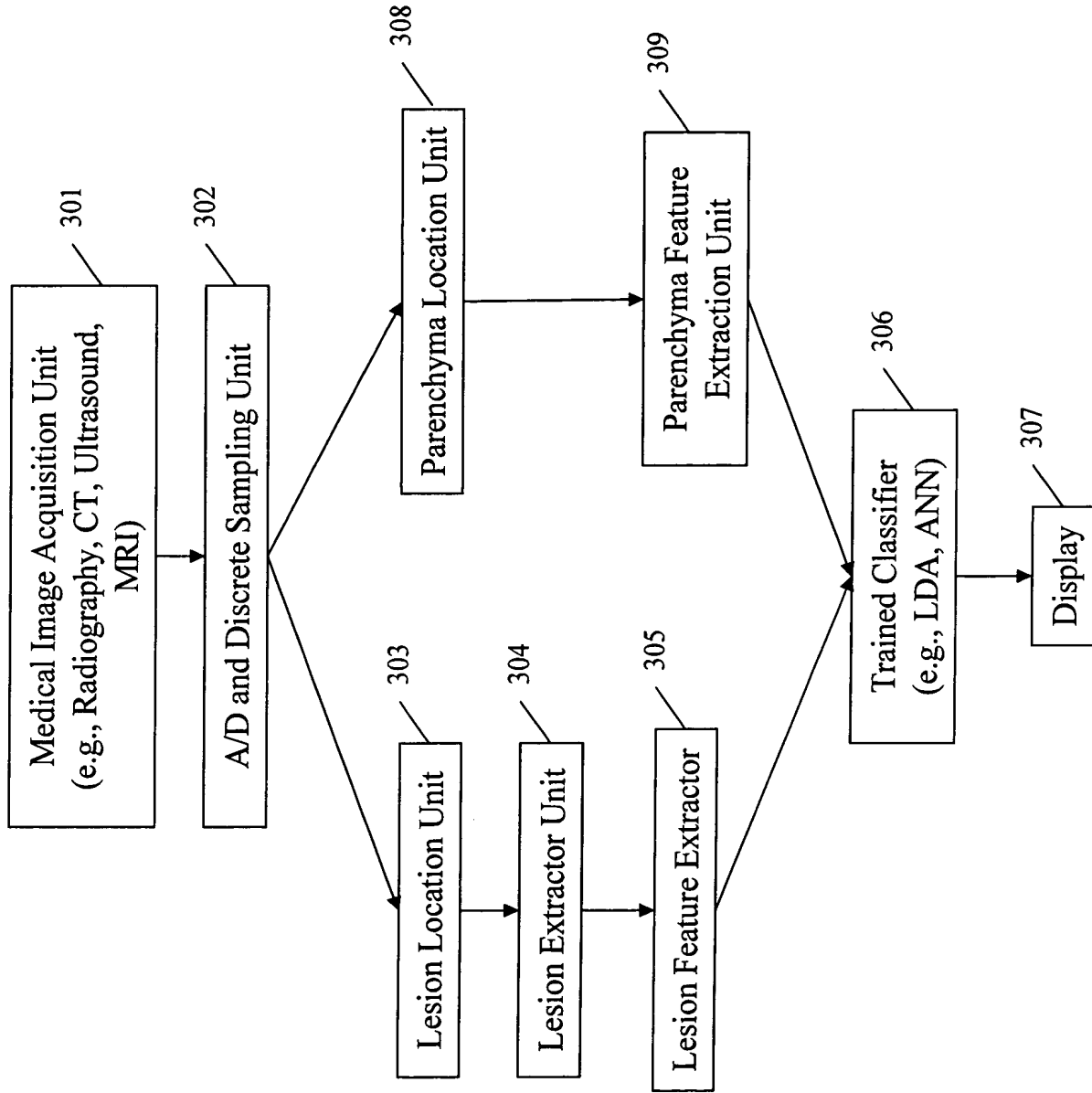


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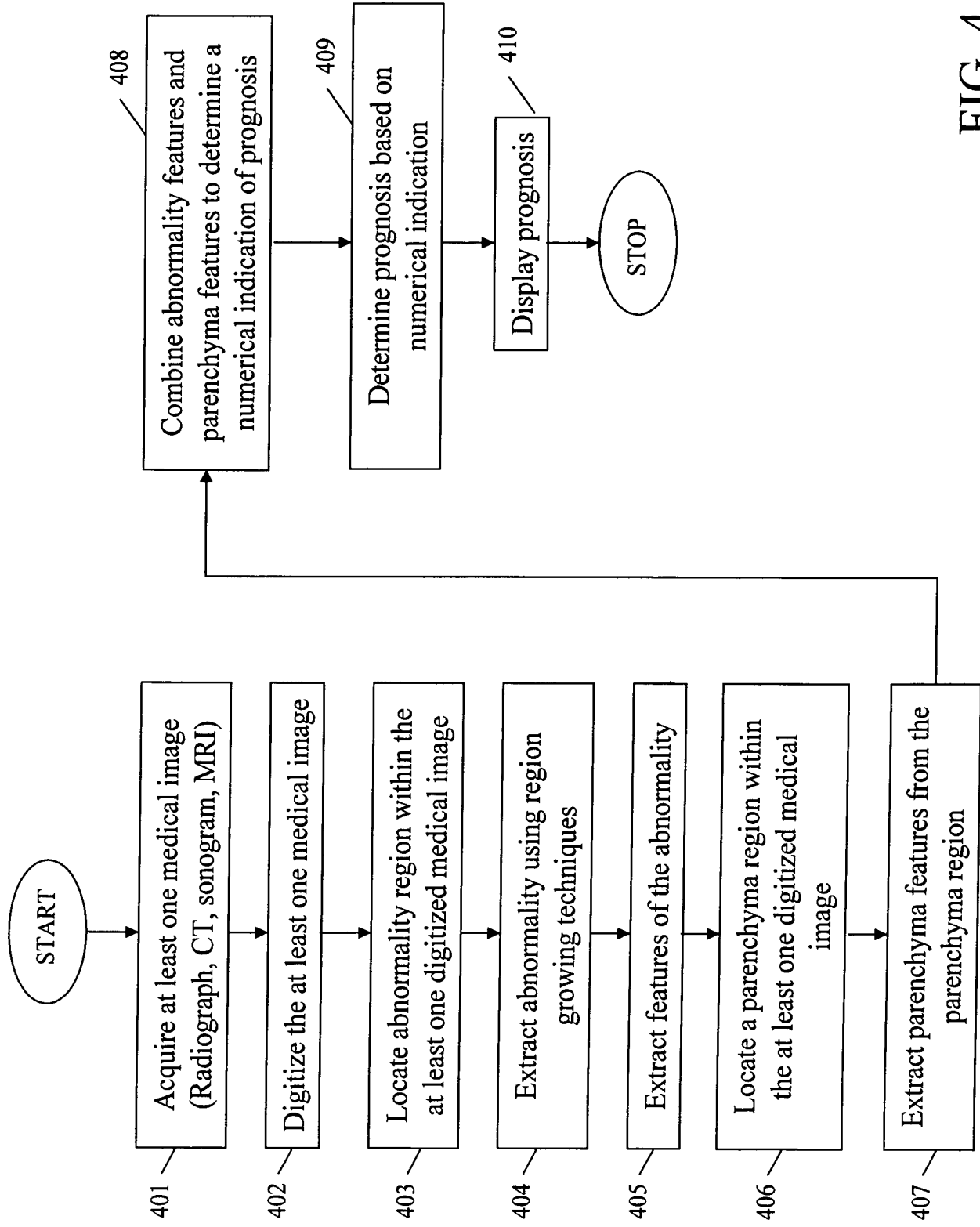


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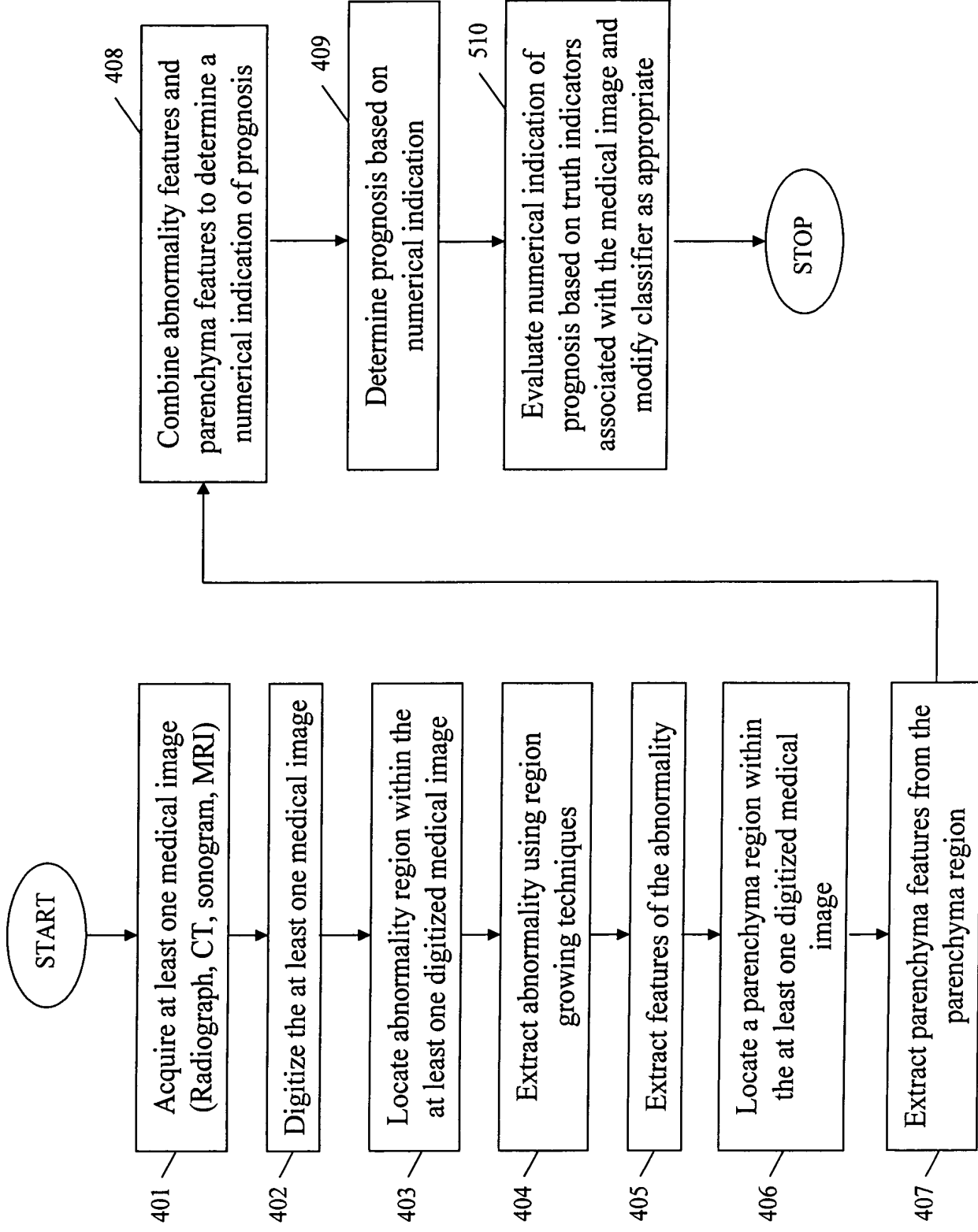


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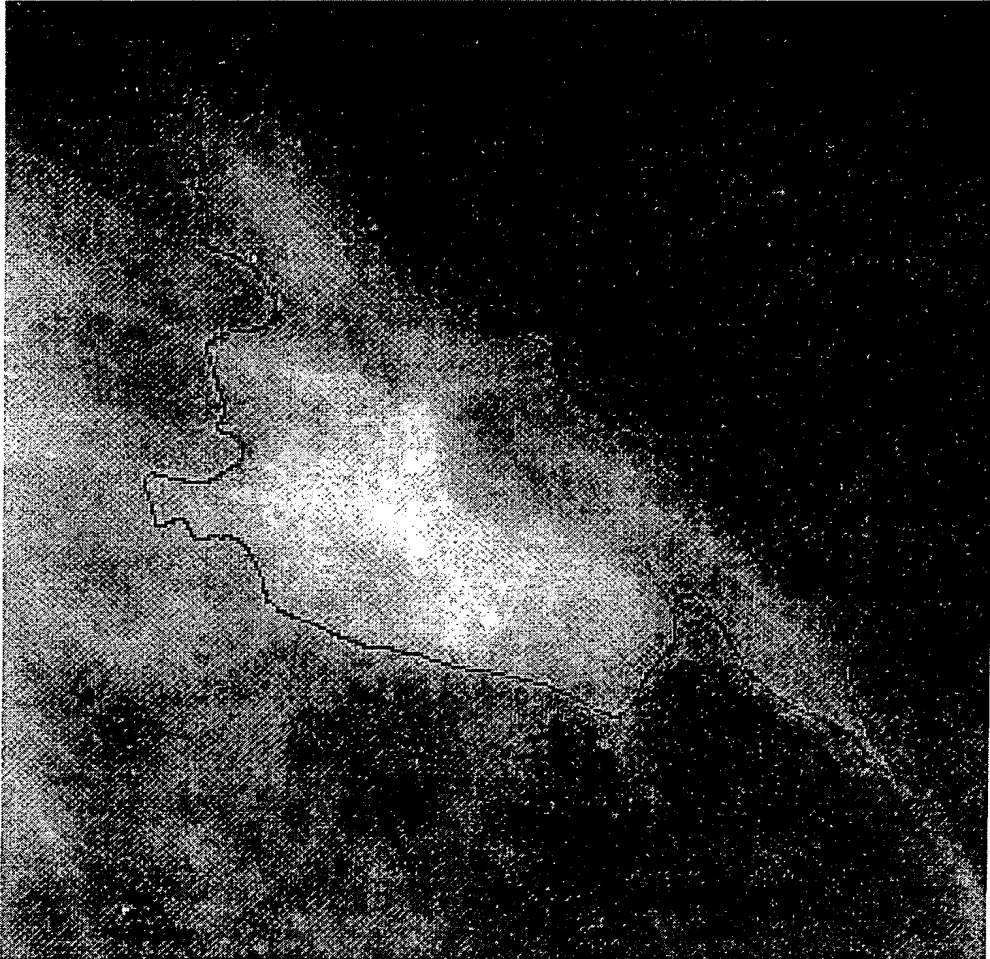
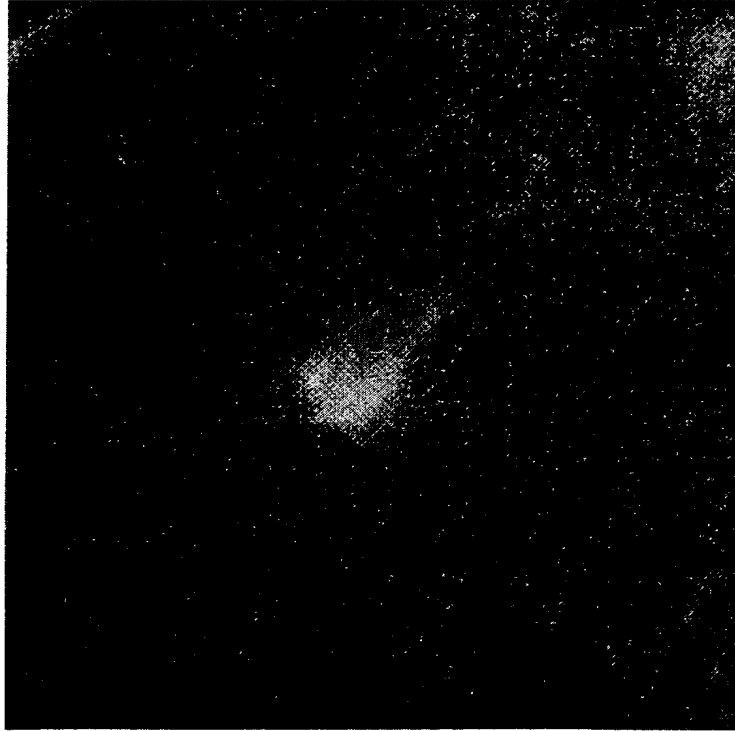


FIG. 6

Node-Negative



Texture: 5.13
RadGr_ROI: 0.65
RadGr_Mar: 0.64
LDA: 4.8

Node-Positive



Texture: 0.48
RadGr_ROI: 0.62
RadGr_Mar: 0.62
LDA: -1.445

FIG. 7

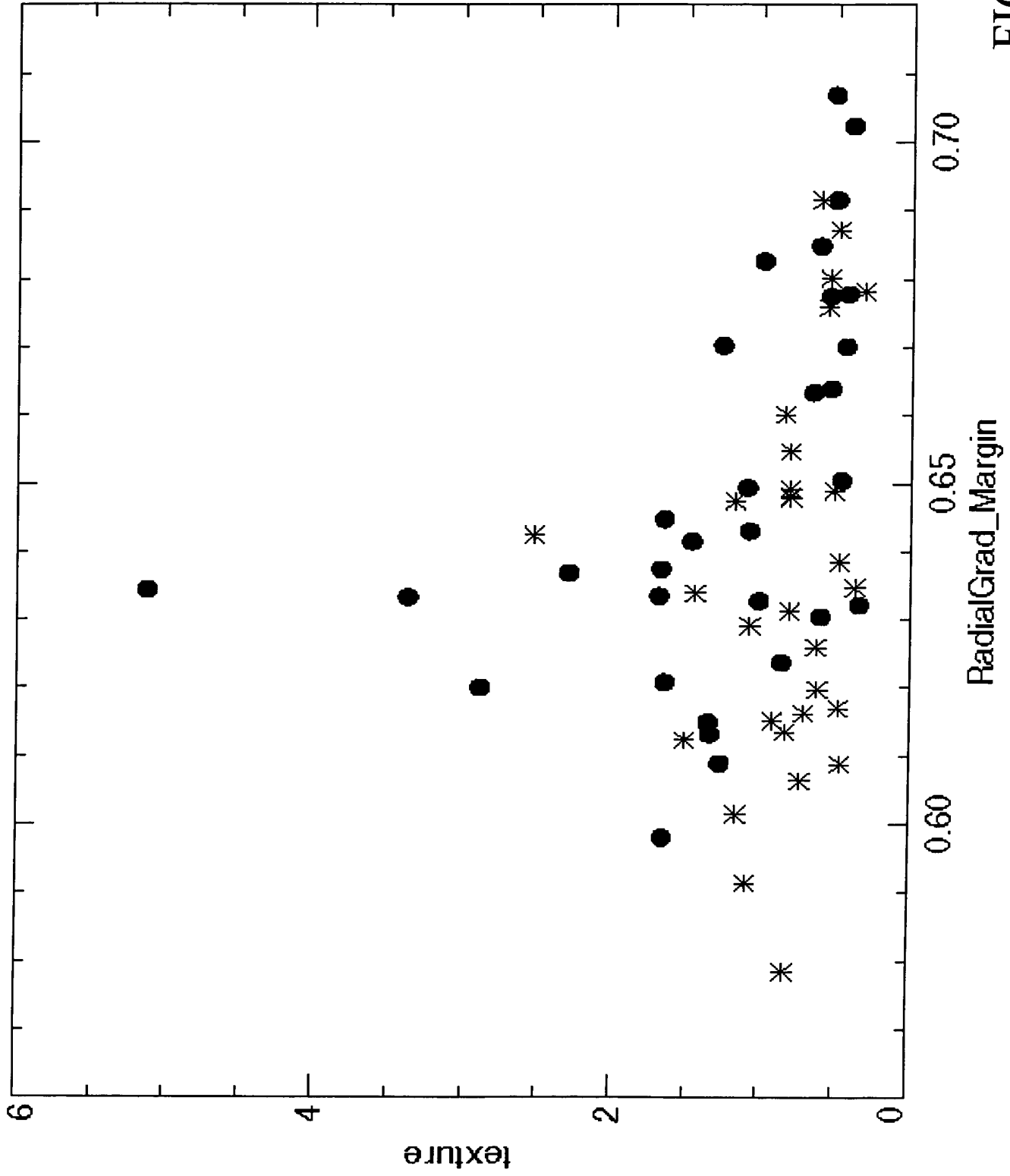




FIG. 9

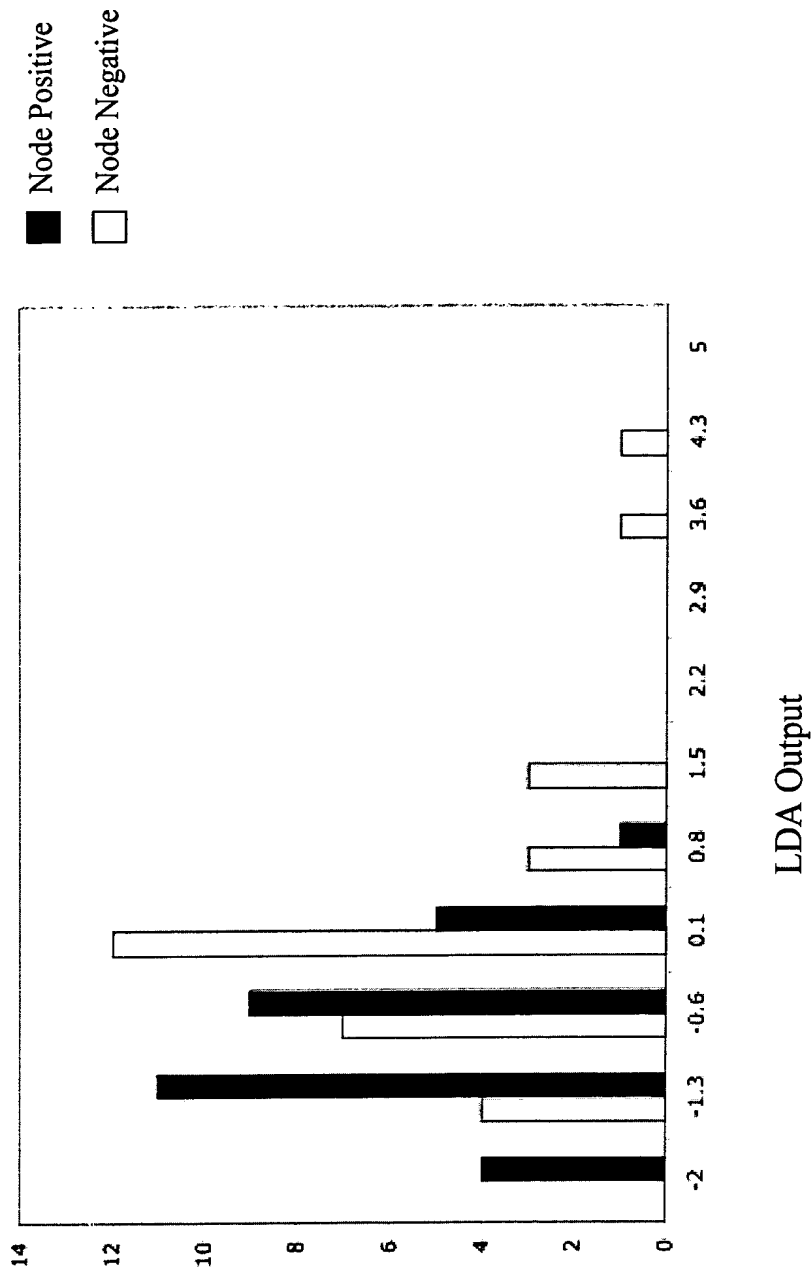


FIG. 10

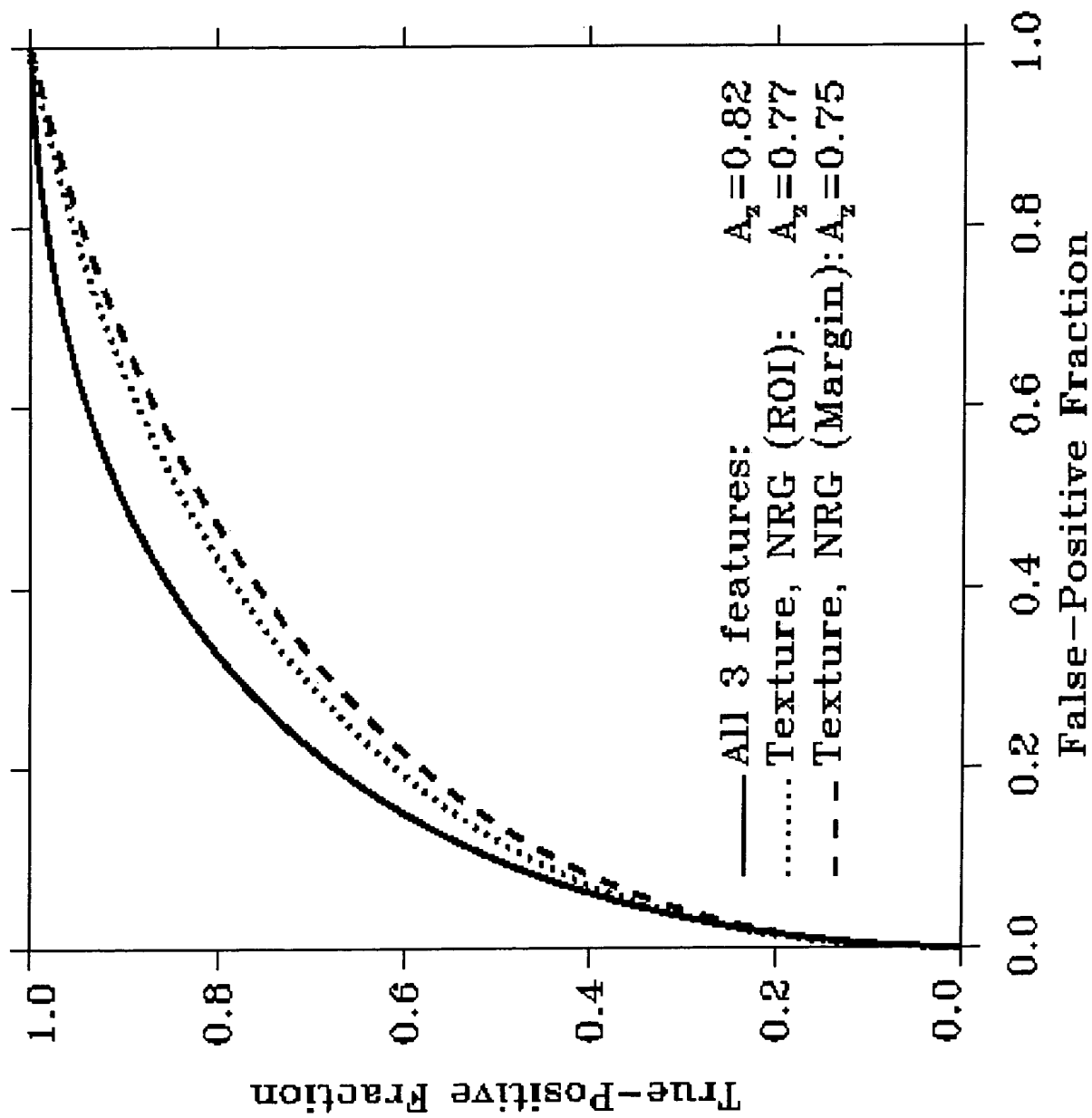


FIG. 11

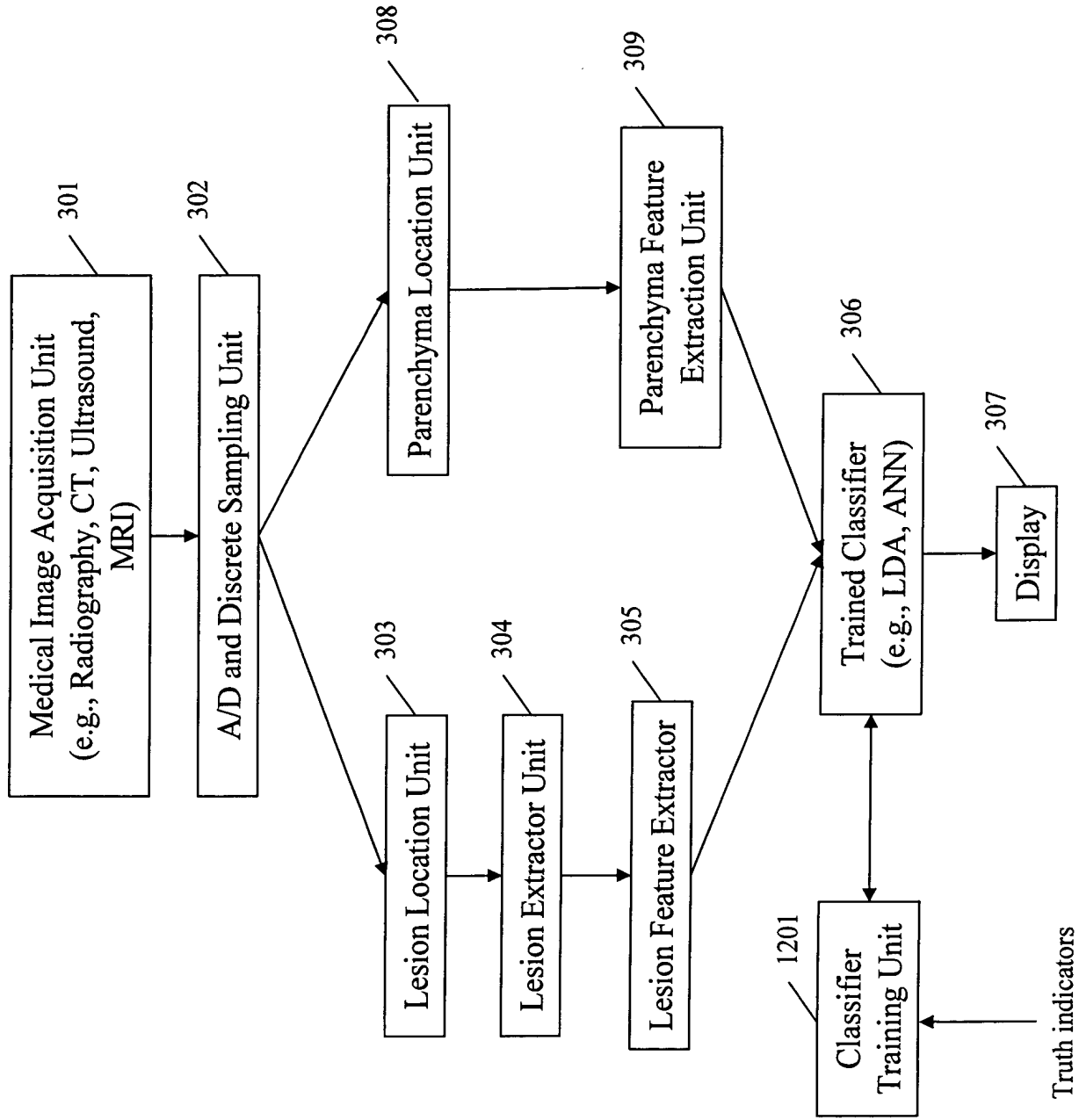


FIG. 12